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AT the Court at St. *James's*, the 24th Day of *April* 1751.

PRESENT,

The King's moſt Excellent Majeſty in Council.

WHereas in the Act of Uniformity, which eſtabliſhes the Liturgy of the Church of England, Proviſion is made for ſuch Alterations in the Prayers for the Royal Family, as from Time to Time ſhall become neceſſary, and be directed by lawful Authority: It is thereupon this Day ordered by His Majeſty in Council, That in the Morning and Evening Prayers, in the Litany, and in all other Parts of the Publick Service, as well in the Occaſional Offices, as in the Book of Common Prayer, where the Royal Family is appointed to be particularly prayed for, the following Form and Order ſhall be obſerved, viz.

Their Royal Highneſſes George Prince of Wales, the Princeſs Dowager of Wales, the Duke, the Princeſſes, and all the Royal Family.

And His Majeſty doth ſtrictly Charge and Command, That no Edition of the Common Prayer be from henceforth printed, but with this Amendment; and that in the mean Time, till Copies of ſuch Edition may be had, all Parſons, Vicars and Curates, within this Realm, do (for the Preventing of Miſtakes) with the Pen, correct and amend all ſuch Prayers in their Church Books, according to the aforegoing Direction: And for the better Notice hereof, that this Order be forthwith printed and publiſhed, and ſent to the ſeveral Pariſhes; and that the Right Reverend the Biſhops do take Care that Obedience be paid to the ſame accordingly.

William Sharpe.

In Purſuance of an Act paſſed in the Tenth Year of her late Majeſty Queen Anne, wherein Proviſion is made for praying for the Royal Family in that Part of Great Britain called Scotland, it is ordered by his Majeſty in Council, That henceforth every Miniſter and Preacher ſhall, in his reſpective Church, Congregation, or Aſſembly, pray in expreſs Words for

His moſt Sacred Majeſty King George, their Royal Highneſſes George Prince of Wales, the Princeſs Dowager of Wales, the Duke, the Princeſſes, and all the Royal Family.

Of which all Perſons concerned are hereby required to take Notice, and govern themſelves accordingly.

William Sharpe.

Lisbon, April 2. On Wedneſday laſt being the Queen's Birth-Day, who then entred into the 34th Year of her Age, the ſame was celebrated at Court with great Magnificence. The Negociation which has been carrying on for ſome Time paſt between this Court and that of Madrid, in Relation to the Iſland of the Holy Sacrament, is at laſt happily terminated, and we are to keep Poſſeſſion of it; and the Diſputes concerning the Limits of the Braſils are to be adjuſted in a private Convention. The King has appointed Cardinal Altalaya to ſucceed to the important Poſt of Inquiſitor General of this Kingdom, and he will accordingly take Poſſeſſion of that Employment immediately after the Return of the Courier who has been diſpatched to inform the Pope of his Nomination.

Petersbourg, April 13. In Conformity to the Orders lately given by her Imperial Majeſty, all the Sea and Land Officers are ſucceſſively leaving this City in order to return to their reſpective Poſts. On Sunday laſt the Count de Raſoumoſsky, General of Little Ruſſia, ſet out from hence for the Ukraine. A few Days ago three young Ladies, Daughters of Lieutenant General Douglas, arrived here from Revel, in order, as 'tis ſaid, to lay ſome Informations of the utmoſt Importance before her Imperial Majeſty, againſt their own Father, which makes great Noiſe in this City. On the 2d Inſtant the Ice of the Neva began to break, and on the 6th at Night that River was free from Ice and quite navigable, upon which the Signal was given, according to Cuſtom, by the firing of ſeveral Pieces of Cannon belonging to the Fortreſs.

Naples, April 13. The King and Queen are gone to Caſerta, and from thence propoſe to go to Capriata, upon a Party of Hunting, which will take up a Fortnight; from thence they return to Portici to paſs the Summer Months as uſual.

Trieſte, April 14. The Manufacture eſtabliſhed in this City for refining of Sugar, has all the Succeſs imaginable; and 'tis not doubted, but that by the Steps which have been lately taken by the Court of Vienna, for the improving and extending our Commerce, the Trade of this Country will ſoon be in a flouriſhing Condition.

Stockholm, April 19. On Friday laſt, being the 16th Inſtant, all the Members of the reſpective Colleges, and the Magiſtrates of this City, took the Oath of Fidelity to his Majeſty in the uſual Form. The Ceremonial to be obſerved at the Funeral of the late King, is now made Publick; and Count Eckenblad, in Quality of Grand Marſhal of the Court, is charged with the Direction of it; and the ſame will be performed towards the End of this Month in the Church of Ritterſholm. Beſides the Act of Aſſurance which his preſent Majeſty has ſworn to obſerve at his coming to the Crown, he has likewiſe engaged, upon Oath, to obſerve the following Conditions, To act in all Things relating to the Government in Concert with the States of the Kingdom, without whoſe Conſent he is neither to engage in nor declare War; to eſtabliſh no new Taxes, nor augment

augment the preſent Duties; nor to raiſe the nominal Value of the current Coin; nor to employ the Revenues of the Crown, raiſed for the Support of the Militia, to any other Uſe; nor to make any Alteration in the Manufactures eſtabliſhed for the Advantage of the Commerce and Navigation of this Kingdom; nor to introduce any new Law by his own Authority; nor, in Caſe of the Death of her preſent Majeſty, to marry any other than a Proteſtant Princeſs, and firſt acquainting the States with ſuch his Intention.

Venice, April 23. The Pope has granted the neceſſary Bulls, and as a Mark of being entirely ſatisfied with the Behaviour of the Republick, has allowed them the Privilege of nominating to three Biſhopricks in the Dogado. The Inundations occaſioned by the late heavy Rains have done conſiderable Damages in ſeveral Parts of this State, particularly in the Poleſine, where the Adige has broke its Banks, and overflowed a large Tract of Land.

Venlo, May 1. Laſt Monday a Fire broke out at Brugge, a ſmall Town a little Diſtance from hence, which burnt with ſuch Violence, that the principal Church, and ſeveral Houſes adjoining, were ſoon reduced to Aſhes.

Hague, May 4. We hear that Meſſ. Benthem and Godyn, Deputies to the Council of State on the Part of the Provinces of Guelderland and Utrecht, are appointed to repair to Maeſtricht, in order to viſit the Fortifications and Magazines of that Place. His Serene Highneſs the Prince of Orange has diſpoſed of the Regiment of Foot of the late Baron d'Eck Pantaleon, in Favour of Major General Leli, and that vacant by the Death of Count Wartenſleben, in Favour of the Prince of Stolberg. On Friday laſt we received the melancholy News of a Fire's breaking out on the 26th paſt at Oſch, one of the moſt conſiderable Towns in the Mayoralty of Bois-le-duc; and tho' it happened about Two o'Clock in the Afternoon, and conſequently they had all the Succour poſſible, it burnt with ſuch prodigeous Violence, that the great Church, together with upwards of 100 Houſes, were reduced to Aſhes; ſome Perſons, and a conſiderable Number of Cattle, periſhed in the Flames.

Whitehall, April 27.

The King has been pleaſed to grant unto the Right Honourable James Earl Waldegrave, the Offices of Steward of the Dutchy of Cornwall, and of the Borough and Manor of Bradninch in the County of Devon, and Steward of all the Caſtles, Manors and Lands within the Counties of Cornwall and Devon, Parcel of the ſaid Dutchy; and of Warden and Steward of the Stannaries and of the Stannary Courts; and of Rider and Maſter of the Foreſt and Chace of Dartmore, Parcel of the ſaid Dutchy, during his Majeſty's Pleaſure.

The King has been pleaſed to grant unto Jonathan Wells, Eſq; the Office of Steward, or the Stewardſhip of all the Lordſhips, Manors, Lands, Tenements and Hereditaments to his Majeſty's Honor and Caſtle of Windſor in the County of Berks belonging; and alſo of all his Majeſty's Courts of Record in the ſame; and alſo the Office of Clerk to the Conſtable of his Majeſty's ſaid Caſtle of Windſor, and the Office of Clerk of his Majeſty's ſaid Caſtle, and of Keeper of the Seals of the ſaid Courts, in the room of George Proctor, Eſq; lately deceaſed.

April 19, 1751.

General Poſt Office.

Whereas the Poſt-Boy bringing the Cirenceſter Mail to this Office, was Yeſterday Morning, between Two and Three of the Clock, on Gerrard's Croſs Common, between Wickham and Uxbridge, attacked and robbed by a ſingle Highwayman, mounted on a Bay Mare, who carried off the ſaid Mail, which contained the following Bags of Letters, viz.

Briſtol,	Worceſter,
Exeter,	Birmingham,
Tiverton,	Wolverhampton,
Taunton,	Woodſtock,
Wellington,	Bath,
Bridgewater,	Cirenceſter,
Wells,	Glouceſter,
Oxford,	Thame,
Burford,	Wickham,
Witney,	Beconsfield,
Chipping-norton,	Gerrard's Croſs,
Campden,	Abingdon, *and*
Eveſham,	Farringdon.

The Perſon who committed this Robbery, was a tall luſty black Man, about Six Feet high, between Forty and Fifty Years of Age, marked with the Small Pox, and had on a blue Surtout or Horſeman's Coat, and under it a dark coloured one, with white Metal Buttons, and wore a black or dark coloured Wig, and rode upon a large Brown Bay Horſe or Mare, Fifteen Hands high, with a bald Face, and a dark black Mane, the Tail lately docked and nicked, the Wounds not healed.

This therefore is to give Notice, That whoever ſhall apprehend and convict, or cauſe to be apprehended and convicted, the Perſon who committed this Robbery, will be intitled to a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, *over and above the Reward given by Act of Parliament for apprehending of Highwaymen: Or if any Perſon or Perſons, whether Accomplice in the ſaid Robbery, or knowing thereof, ſhall make Diſcovery, whereby the Perſon, who committed the ſame, may be apprehended and brought to Juſtice, ſuch Diſcoverer or Diſcoverers will, upon Conviction of the Party, be intitled to the ſame Reward of* Two Hundred Pounds, *and alſo have His Majeſty's moſt gracious Pardon.*

By Command of the Poſt-Maſter-General,
George Shelvocke, *Secretary.*

Tower of London, April 26, 1751.

The Lieutenant General and Principal Officers of his Majeſty's Ordnance give Notice, that they will ſell by publick Auction, on Tueſday the 21ſt of May next, ſundry Lotts of Parchment, Paper and Cotton Cartridges, Tann'd Hides, Handſcrews, Drums, Shovels, Spades, Leather Coats for Firemen, Woolpacks, Tents, Match, Tarr'd Rope, Breechings, Tacklefalls, and other old and unſerviceable Stores lying in the Tower, where they may be viewed till the Time of Sale; and printed Liſts of the Lotts will be delivered to ſuch Perſons as apply for the ſame. By Order of the Board,
Charles Buſh.

South Sea Houſe, London, April 25, 1751.

The Court of Directors of the South Sea Company give Notice, That a General Court of the ſaid Company will be held at this Houſe on Friday the 10th of next Month, at Eleven in the Forenoon, on ſpecial Affairs.

Mercers Hall, April 25, 1751.

The Preſident, Vice-Preſident and Council of the Society of the Free Britiſh Fiſhery, do hereby give Notice, That a General Court will be held on ſpecial Affairs, on Saturday the 4th of May next, at Ten for Eleven preciſely, at this Place; when all Perſons duly qualified are deſired to attend. By Order of the Council,
John Lockman, *Secretary.*

April 23, 1751.

Notice is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Truſtees for the River L E E, will be held by Adjournment at the Bull Inn at Hoddeſdon in the County of Hertford, on Friday the 17th Day of May next, at Ten in the Forenoon.

Boſ. Toller, *Clerk to the Truſtees.*

Briſtol, April 12, 1751.

This is to give Notice to the Officers and Seamen belonging to the Tyger Privateer, James Seix, Commander, and Tygreſs Privateer, James Connor, Commander, on their firſt Cruize, that the Balance due to them for the Taking of the Ships Felicity, Begonia, Elvenzedor and Union, will be paid them on Friday the 10th of May next, at Nine of the Clock in the Morning, at the Three Mariners on the Newback, or on the firſt Friday of every Month after.

HIS Majeſty's Plate of One Hundred Guineas will be Run for on Merrow Downs near Guildford in Surry, on Tueſday in Whitſun Week, being the 28th of May next, by any Horſe, Mare or Gelding, carrying 12 Stone, and to be no more than Six Years Old this Graſs, to be certified under the Hand of the Breeder.

On Wedneſday the 29th of May will be Run for on the ſame Courſe, a Plate of Fifty Pounds, (the Gift of the Right Hon. the Lord Onſlow) by any Horſe, Mare or Gelding, the beſt of three Heats, that never won that Value in Money or Plate, Five Years old Horſes, &c. to carry Nine Stone Six Pounds, Six Years Old, &c. to carry Ten Stone Four Pounds, and full aged Horſes to carry Eleven Stone; and no leſs than three reputed Running Horſes, &c. to ſtart for this Plate, and to pay One Guinea Entrance each.

On Thurſday the 30th of May will be Run for on the ſame Courſe, the Subſcription Plate of Fifty Pounds, by any Horſe, Mare or Gelding, the beſt of Three Heats, that never won above that Value in Money or Plate; Five Years old Horſes, &c. to carry Nine Stone, Six Years old Horſes, &c. to carry Nine Stone Ten Pounds, and full aged Horſes, &c. to carry Ten Stone Six Pounds. No Horſe, Mare or Gelding to enter, whoſe Owner has not ſubſcribed Three Guineas on or before the Day of Entrance, and no leſs than Three reputed Running Horſes, &c. to ſtart for this Plate.

And on Friday the 31ſt of May will be Run for on the ſame Courſe, the Ladies Subſcription Plate of Fifty Pounds, by any Horſe, Mare or Gelding, the beſt of Three Heats, that never won a Royal Plate, carrying Eleven Stone upon each Horſe, &c. paying Two Guineas on or before the Day of Entrance; and no leſs than Three reputed Running Horſes, &c. to ſtart for this Plate.

All ſuch Horſes, &c. to be entred at the White Hart Inn at Guildford, on Monday in Whitſun Week, between the Hours of Twelve and Three, paying Five Shillings Entrance to the Clerk of the Courſe. To ſtart at Half an Hour after Four of the Clock each Day; and all Diſputes to be decided by the Right Hon. the Lord Onſlow, or ſuch Perſon as he ſhall appoint for that Purpoſe.

All Horſes that Run for theſe Plates are to ſtand at the Subſcribers Houſes at Merrow.

No Perſon to plate any Horſes, &c. but thoſe that have ſubſcribed Half a Guinea towards the ſaid Plates.

No Perſon will be permitted to ſet up a Booth to ſell Liquor on the Downs, during the Time of the Races, but thoſe that ſubſcribed Half a Guinea to the ſaid Plates.

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